

# PENISTONE TOWN COUNCIL

**Minutes of Ordinary Town Council Meeting held on June 19<sup>th</sup> 2017 in the Council Chamber, Town Hall, Shrewsbury Rd. Penistone**

**Present: The Town Mayor Cllr. Hinchliff** in the chair, **Cllrs. Chadburn, Mrs. Hinchliff, Millner, Mrs. Millner, Kimberley, Ogle, Unsworth Rusby and Stanley**

Also present the Town Clerk **K. Coulton**, public and press.

The **Town Mayor** allowed ten minutes public participation prior to the meeting proper.

Comments raised: A local resident raised his concern regarding the appalling grass cutting recently carried out by Barnsley M.B.C. Cllrs. Millner and Unsworth agreed to contact the Authority on this matter.

The Mayor also referred to the recent gala and parade which had been a success and wished to thank everyone involved with the weekend. A Volunteer s Night for local groups had been arranged for July 15<sup>th</sup>

The **Town Mayor** then opened the meeting proper.

## **1. Apologies for absence –**

Apologies were received from Cllrs. Hand – Davis, Saunders, Cutts and Hayler  
**RESOLVED** that the apologies were recorded.

## **2. Declarations of Personal or Prejudicial Interest**

In accordance with Section 31 of the Local Government Act 2011

The **Town Mayor** invited declarations of which there were None  
**NOTED.**

## **3. Approval of Minutes.**

The Minutes of the following meetings were **approved** a true record and signed by the **Town Mayor** accordingly

- a) The Annual Town Council Meeting held on May 15<sup>th</sup> 2017
- b) The Planning Committee held on May 15<sup>th</sup> 2017

## **4. Reports from Elected Members of Barnsley M.B.C.**

**Cllr. Millner** reported that a meeting with elected members, highway and Traffic Officers over the access and egress on Green Road / Mortimer Road had been carried out. SYPTE was investigating an improvement to the Crow Edge bus service possibly extending the Millhouse Green service to Crow Edge.

Cllr. Unsworth commented that the Area Council was to convene to discuss the Clean and Tidy tender. He also commented that at this present time the traffic light system on Hartcliff Road was awaiting a decision.

Cllr. Stanley asked if consideration could be given into making Victoria Street a one way system. Cllr. Millner agreed to ensure a procedure for this request to be processed would be considered for a future works programme.

The Ward Councillor's were thanked for their reports

Signed.....Mayor 17/07/19

## **5. Correspondence.**

The following items of correspondence were **NOTED**

- a) No Horizon - thank you letter
- b) South Yorkshire Fire and Rescue members briefing
- c) NALC Reform OF Data Protection
- d) YLCA Training Course - the Town Clerk confirmed two members of staff had been enrolled on a clerk's induction day course. He also offered members the option of attending one of the training courses on offer.

## **6. Leisure and Amenities Report.**

**Cllr. Mrs. Hinchliff** in the absence of **Cllr. Cutts** updated members with activities at the Paramount on future films and live events.

The Town Clerk reported that a successful meeting had been carried out with various representatives regarding the new lease. A further meeting will be held in July and it was envisaged the new lease would be in force by Christmas.

**NOTED**

## **7. Accounts and Finance.**

The following accounts had been previously circulated to Members and it was **RESOLVED** to approve the following:

- a) The General Account to the sum of **£ 31,036.38**
- b) The Paramount Account to the sum of **£ 56,141.68**
- c) Request for financial assistance from Penistone Pottery Club (£250.00) and St. Johns church Passhendaale WW1 Centenary Event (£250.00) were approved

## **8. Community Centre**

The **Town Clerk** stated that the refurbishment of the ladies toilet had now been completed.

**NOTED**

## **9. Neighbourhood Plan**

**Cllr. Kimberley** reported that the plan was now at the approval stage for it to progress to the next step.

Should it be approved the plan would be referred to the three agencies which are Historic England, The Environment Agency and Natural England. A copy would also be referred to Barnsley MBC. A screening opinion would be required with regard to the Strategic Environmental Assessment and Habitats Regulation Assessment. They would then respond to Barnsley MBC who will provide the screening assessment. Should the agencies approve Regulation 14 (pre submission) consultation would proceed. This would be the six week public consultation of residents, businesses and the wider stakeholder community

Members voted unanimously to adopt the draft plan.

**RESOLVED**

## **10. Foundation Governor Penistone Grammar School.**

**Cllr. Ogle** was nominated and agreed to the role

**RESOLVED**

## **11. Date and Time of the next ordinary meeting.**

**July 17<sup>th</sup> 2017 at 7.00 pm in the Town Hall, Shrewsbury Rd, Penistone**

Signed.....Mayor 17/07/17





Signed.....Mayor 20/06/16